Reply to: 2430 Date: 07/11/2015

Dear Prospective Bidder:

On 08/13/2015, at 02:00 PM, sealed bids will be opened in the District Ranger's Office, 131 Smokey Lane, Marienville, PA 16239 for the SR 3004 sale. This sale is located in Warrants 5134 and 5144; Kingsley Township; Forest County; Pennsylvania. Timber sale Contract 2400-6T will be used. The termination date for this sale is 09/30/2017.

There are 1.70 miles (2.72 kilometers) of specified road reconstruction. A specified road construction cost of \$54,829.60 has been allowed in the appraisal for this work.

The estimated quantities in this contract have been determined prior to felling. The total estimated quantity on this sale is 1,674 CCF. The Forest Service encourages potential bidders to make their own inspection and estimate prior to bid submission. The Forest Service makes no representation, warranty, or guarantee of the accuracy of the following quantity estimates:

Estimated Quantities and Rates per Unit of Measure							Required Deposits	
Species	Product	Unit of Measure	Estimated Quantities	Average DBH	Advertised Rates	Base Rates	Slash Disposal	Road Maintenance
Ash	Sawtimber	CCF	23.00	17.80	\$90.64	\$89.61	\$0.00	\$0.63
Black Cherry	Sawtimber	CCF	49.00	17.50	\$269.52	\$266.29	\$0.00	\$0.63
Eastern Hemlock	Sawtimber	CCF	74.00	15.30	\$12.00	\$12.00	\$0.00	\$0.63
Hardwood - Other	Sawtimber	CCF	19.00	17.10	\$21.04	\$20.87	\$0.00	\$0.63
Oak	Sawtimber	CCF	7.00	16.90	\$86.18	\$85.24	\$0.00	\$0.63
Red Maple	Sawtimber	CCF	67.00	15.60	\$89.15	\$88.15	\$0.00	\$0.63
Red Oak	Sawtimber	CCF	206.00	19.80	\$186.41	\$183.35	\$0.00	\$0.63
White Oak	Sawtimber	CCF	62.00	15.00	\$88.26	\$87.28	\$0.00	\$0.63
Softwood - Other	Pulpwood	CCF	219.00	10.30	\$1.90	\$1.90	\$0.00	\$0.63
Hardwood - Other	Pulpwood	CCF	948.00	8.90	\$1.90	\$1.90	\$0.00	\$0.63
	Total	CCF	1,674.00		·		\$0.00	\$1,054.62

There is a \$7,000.00 bid guarantee required on this sale.

The USDA is an equal opportunity provider and employer.

If you wish further information on this sale, the prospectus and bid form, please write or call the Marienville Ranger District Office, 131 Smokey Lane, Marienville, PA 16239 Information regarding this offering can be found on the following website http://www.fs.usda.gov/main/allegheny/workingtogether/contracting.

Sincerely,

Rob Fallon District Ranger

Enclosure